



## *Spring CleanUp* 2013



*June 3 - 7*

Spring Clean-Up for West Des Moines residents is scheduled on regular garbage pick-up days during the first full week of June

So get ready to do some Spring housecleaning!

*Solid waste will be collected on your regularly scheduled date during spring clean up.*

Spring CleanUp Days are city wide collection days organized for residents to dispose of large household items. Think of all the things you would like to get rid of during an intense spring cleaning.....that is what Spring CleanUp Days are for.

All items should be on the curb by 6:00 a.m. on your scheduled spring cleanup day. All smaller items must be bagged or boxed.

**The following items will NOT be accepted:**

- Tires
- Vehicles and/or major auto parts.
- Buildings, major building parts, or large piles of building material.
- Concrete chunks (ALL SIZES).
- Asphalt shingles over 65 lbs. in total weight.
- Banned substances such as
  - lead
  - acid
  - batteries
  - waste oil
  - explosive material
  - medical waste
  - drugs
  - poisons
  - highly combustible material
  - paint
  - any other toxic or hazardous substance
- Animal Carcasses.

**The following appliances will NOT be accepted during Spring CleanUps:**

- Refrigerators
- Washers
- Dehumidifiers
- Freezers
- Furnaces
- Air Conditioners
- Stoves
- Dryers
- Microwaves
- Water Heaters
- Dishwashers

To arrange for a pickup of any of these appliances, call Waste Connections at 265-7374, or . . . .

Include them in one of the **Scrap Appliance & Metal Drop-Offs** (April 13<sup>th</sup> and September 14<sup>th</sup>) at the Public Works Facility at 560 S. 16<sup>th</sup> Street, WDM! These drop-off events are open to all West Des Moines residents.

Here's a handy cut-out for this year's Clean-Up Events!

## **2013 SOLID WASTE EVENTS FOR WDM CITIZENS**

mark your calendars!

### **SPRING CLEAN-UP**

**June 3 - 7**

On your regular trash collection day



April 1	Yard Waste Pick-Up begins on normal trash collection day
April 1	Door-Side Hazardous Waste Pilot Program begins
April 13	Scrap Appliance, Metal & Paper Shredding Drop-Off - 8AM-Noon – West Des Moines Public Works
April 20	Scrap Tire Drop-Off - 7:30 AM-4PM – West Des Moines Public Works
May 23	Nat'l Public Works Week Celebration – 4-7PM Valley Junction Farmer's Market
June 3-7	Spring Clean-Up – On your regular trash day
June 29	Hazardous Waste Drop-Off – Valley Stadium
Sept. 14	Scrap Appliance, Metal & Paper Shredding Drop-Off – 8AM-Noon – West Des Moines Public Works
Last Wk of Nov	Yard Waste Pick-Up Ends (Dependent on Weather)
Dec 30 – 1/10/14	Winter Yard Waste & Christmas Tree Collection

A number of Hazardous Waste Drop-Off Events will be scheduled in our area by Metro Waste Authority, and will be posted on their website when available. Visit [www.mwatoday.com](http://www.mwatoday.com)

*Yard Waste and Spring Cleanup events are available to all West Des Moines residents who are eligible for solid waste collection (single-family homes up to and including 4-plex units).*

For more details check the calendar on the City's website: [www.wdm.iowa.gov](http://www.wdm.iowa.gov)